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SABINE VALLEY PECAN NURSERIES

TOLEDO, TEXAS

8/3/16

Mr. C. R. Lake, Pomologist.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Pardon delay in sending our Catalog.
This is it.

We do not have a large nursery and
are growing a pecan orchard in connection.

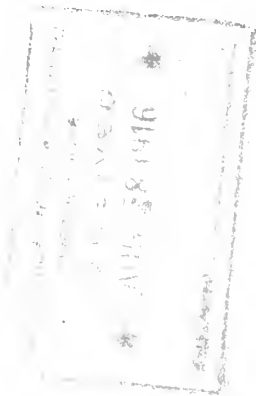
Our trees are doing fine. The worst
trouble is with the borers and bud worm.

Any information you can give us
about keeping them out will be appreciated.

With best wishes, I am,

Yours truly,

R. L. Odom



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PRICE LIST

WITH INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION REGARDING THE GROWTH OF PECAN TREES

To Grow Pecans

It is important, as in any other enterprise, to begin right and continue right. First, get good trees of the best varieties from a reliable nursery; then plant them carefully in ground well prepared for their reception. Cultivate and fertilize them well, never letting the raw fertilizer come in contact with the roots.

Pecan orcharding has passed the experimental stage and is now recognized as one of the most profitable industries in the South. All persons who take advantage of their opportunity now and plant a grove of pecans will be the first to reap their reward.

Our Location

We are located on the Sabine River, 150 miles north of the Gulf, where climatic conditions are most favorable for growing strong, sturdy trees.

Varieties

In selecting your trees, choose varieties combining the following qualities: good bear, large, soft shell. We are selecting varieties that have been tested and are the best, and we will never propagate anything that we cannot recommend.

How to Plant

Dig a hole about two feet in diameter and deep enough to let the tree set as deep, or one inch deeper than it stood in the nursery. Spread the roots out to their natural position, being careful to cut off all bruised roots with a sharp knife, cutting from the under side. The best way to dig the hole is with dynamite.

Guarantee

We guarantee our trees to be true to name, and if by accident any should be sent under wrong label, they will be replaced free of charge or money will be refunded. We assume no further responsibility.

Prices

PECANS:

Size	6 to 12 inches high	(Small)	\$.40 Each
"	1 to 2 feet high	(Medium)	.60 "
"	2 to 3 feet high	(Average)	.85 "
"	3 to 4 feet high	(Large)	1.00 "
"	4 to 5 feet high	(Larger)	1.25 "
"	5 to 10 feet high	(Very Large)	1.50 "

Above trees may be had in the following varieties: **Stuart, Pabst, Money—
maker, Van Deman.**

We furnish the famous "Sabine" at \$2.00 per tree, only a few to each party.

Umbrella China 10cts.

Conditions of Sale

We take great care to send out only strong and vigorous trees, budded and grafted with the above mentioned varieties.

We have no agents. We sell direct to the trade and save our customers the profit that agents would get. Our reputation is at stake, therefore we are obliged to treat every customer with the same fairness and honesty.

Cash should accompany all orders not accompanied by satisfactory references.

The above prices are for strong, well grown trees, carefully packed and delivered to the express or rail road company at Newton, Texas, or Anacoco, Louisiana.

The necessity of setting out a good orchard cannot be too forcibly impressed. If you have land that hickory does well on, by all means, set out some pecans. The initial cost is so insignificant as not to be considered when estimating the ultimate value of the orchard.

We will gladly answer any question you may ask regarding setting out your orchard, and if you so desire, we will take pleasure in visiting your place inspecting your land and passing on the merits of an orchard on your place. We have made an especial study of the nursery business and our experience and time is placed at your disposal. If you have business that takes your time, we can set out the orchard for you.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WRITE

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TWO YEAR OLD GRAFTED PECANS ON FOUR YEAR OLD ROOTS IN THE NURSERY
ROWS, SOME OF WHICH ARE BEARING